

GOVERNOR BREWSTER ADDRESSES PHI BETA KAPPA AT CONVENTION

Delegates From Maine Chapters Attend—Banquet at Elmwood Hotel

HELD FRIDAY NIGHT

Initiation Ceremony Conducted at the Congregational Church—Four Seniors Become Members.

Governor Ralph O. Brewster addressed a public recognition service of Phi Beta Kappa, the national honorary scholarship society, which was held at the First Congregational Church of Waterville last Friday night, in honor of Ruth E. Williams, Harriet E. Towle, Ella L. Vinal, and Arthur B. Levine, newly elected members of the society.

The recognition service was held following a convention of delegates from the Maine chapters of Phi Beta Kappa in the college chapel and the annual initiation banquet at the Elmwood Hotel. Governor Brewster is president of the Bowdoin chapter, which is the Alpha chapter of Maine.

The convention opened with a meeting held in the college chapel at 2.45 P. M. Various methods of encouraging scholarship in the state were discussed, and it was decided to appoint a district Phi Beta Kappa Scholar or Fellow.

This meeting was followed by the formal banquet held at the Elmwood Hotel at 6 P. M. At the post-prandial, the chairman of which was Professor Florence E. Dunn, president of the Colby chapter, delegates from the other chapters brought short greetings from their colleges. Professor Stanley P. Chase, of Bowdoin, read a charge delivered against the society in 1830, in which the organization was accused of being dangerously radical.

In the public initiation ceremony, conducted in the Congregational Church, immediately following the banquet, Governor Brewster, taking as his subject, "Scholars and Politics," emphasized the devotion of Phi Beta Kappa to integrity and intelligence alike, and the importance of these two attributes in the changing social and economic phenomena of our day.

Advertising Students Hear Webber Lecture

First of Lecture Series Given By Prominent Business Men For Colby Upper Classmen.

Mr. Ralph G. Webber of the Gannett Publishing Company addressed the students of the department of business administration in the lecture room of Shannon Observatory this morning at ten o'clock on the "Field of Advertising."

This was the first of a series of talks that has been arranged for the benefit of the upperclassmen of the college by the department of business administration. The object of these lectures is to familiarize upperclassmen with the requisites of the various business fields and to point out the opportunities in the different lines of business.

Among the prominent business men of the state who have been invited to speak before the classes in the department are: Mr. Walter G. Wyman, president of the New England Public Service Company who will speak on "The Public Utility Field;" Mr. Fred F. Lawrence, vice president of the Case Mercantile Trust Company, "The Field of Banking;" Mr. Charles Ault of the Ault-Williamson Shoe Company of Auburn, "The Shoe Industry;" Mr. Daniel Hoegg, managing editor of the Portland Evening News, "Newspaper Work;" and Mr. Benjamin F. Clevages, executive secretary of the Associated Industries of Maine, "Industrial Opportunities for the College Graduate."

D. U. ENTERTAINS L. C. A. AT BRIDGE PARTY WEDNESDAY

The Delta Upsilon fraternity entertained the Lambda Chi Alphas with a bridge party at the chapter house last Wednesday evening.

Over fifty members of the two fraternities participated in the evening's entertainment. The first prize was won by Kenneth R. Miller, '20, Ashby, Mass., of the Lambda Chi.

Members of the two fraternities express the hope that bridge parties will become one of the popular forms of interfraternity entertainment.

NOTICE TO SENIORS.

Orders for Programs and Invitations must be in the hands of the committee in charge by April 20th. Samples will be shown and orders taken immediately after vacation.

There will be a meeting of the Program and Invitation Committee at the Lambda Chi House at 2.30 P. M., Thursday, March 22.

Glee Club Concert To Be Given In May By Women's Division

Rehearsals have begun under the direction of Harriet Towle, '28, of Winthrop, Mass., for the annual Glee club concert of the women's division which will take place at the Opera House on May 8. The first part of the program will consist of a string ensemble, a solo dance by Evelyn Foster of Waterville, and four numbers by the Glee Club, with a chorus of forty.

The last part of the program will be the presentation of the operetta, "The American Girl," by Vincent. The scene is laid in a girls' private school in England. An American girl accompanied by an Irish maid blunders into the school by mistake, and many amusing incidents result.

The cast is as follows: The teachers, Violette Daviau of Waterville, and Vivian Russell, '30, of Augusta; pupils in the school, Dorothy Daggett, '28, of Waterville, Eleanor Lunn, '29, of Waterville, Stephanie Bean, '31, of Somerville, Mass., Ruth Daggett, '29, of Waterville, and Alberta Brown, '30, of Waterville; The American Girl, Claire Richardson, '28, of Waterville; the Irish Maid, Martha Allen, '29, of Waterville, Mass; the Aunt, Isa Putnam, '30, of Danforth.

Prof. Marriner Talks At Baptist Church

Music Furnished By College Male Quartet—Well Attended.

Lecturing before a large audience at the First Baptist Church of Waterville last evening Professor Ernest C. Marriner, librarian of the college, took as his subject "The Life-Raft of Reading or How to Keep from Drowning in a Sea of Printer's Ink."

Professor Marriner advised his hearers to pay little attention to the vast number of titles published yearly, but to choose those books which hold a special interest for them. To make progress, he said, one might well heed the device of Ulysses in Homer's classic who stuffed the ears of his sailors with wax that they might not be lured to the rocks. Preceding the lecture the Colby Male Quartet consisting of: Clarence H. Arber, '30, of Dorchester, Mass.; Arthur L. Stebbins, Jr., of Colchester, Conn.; Clyde L. Mann, '28, of Livermore Falls; and John A. Chadwick, '30, of Edgewood, R. I.; rendered several vocal selections.

Y. W. C. A. ELECT OFFICERS.

Carolyn A. Herrick, '20, of Augusta, was recently elected president of the Y. W. C. A. for the year 1928-1929. Miss Herrick has been vice-president of the association during the past year, president of the junior class, and a member of the Student League.

Other elections were as follows: Helen A. Chase, '30, of Houlton, vice president; Elizabeth R. Beckett, '30, of Calais, secretary; and Alice W. Paul, '29, of Fort Fairfield, treasurer.

Miss Chase is president of the sophomore class, and is secretary-treasurer of the Aroostook Club. She is also a member of the Colbianna board, a representative on the Student League, and a member of Chi Gamma Theta. Miss Beckett, newly elected secretary, was vice president of the freshman class last year, and class sponsor at the Colby Day Exercises. Miss Paul is secretary and treasurer of the junior class, and also is vice president of the Aroostook club.

Those who attended the Tuesday night meeting of the Y. W. C. A. were delighted by a talk by Mrs. Lilian Campbell of Augusta. She has recently returned from a trip around the world and graphically described her travels.

Mrs. Campbell proved a fascinating speaker and under her topic, "Snapshots," presented pictures taken by her personally in many lands. Among the most memorable were the impressions of mysterious India, the enchanting Nile, and the magic of a night in the great desert.

General Average of College Lower Than That of Last Year

Kappa Delta Rho Fraternity and Sigma Kappa Lead In Scholarship Standing According to Announcement Made By Malcolm B. Mower, Registrar of the College.

The Kappa Delta Rho fraternity and the Sigma Kappa sorority lead in the scholarship standing of the college, according to figures released yesterday by Malcolm B. Mower, the college registrar.

The general average of the entire college during the first semester of this year was 74.404, a drop of about five-tenths of a point from that attained during the second semester of last year. In the women's division there was a gain of more than four points over the average of the second semester of last year while the men dropped a point during the same period. There was a general shifting around in regard to position of the several fraternities and sororities.

The Kappa Delta Rho fraternity, by virtue of its scholarship lead, again wins the Druid scholarship cup which it has held since the cup was first placed in competition by the Junior honorary society three and a half years ago.

With a drop of about one-tenth of a point the Sigma Kappa sorority maintained its scholarship lead among the sororities.

The complete scholarship figures as announced by the registrar are as follows:

College Averages.	
General college average	74.404
Men's Division	70.597
Women's Division	79.019
Sorority	79.889
Fraternity	70.733
Fraternity Standing.	
Kappa Delta Rho	77.041
Lancers Club	75.96
Alpha Tau Omega	70.681
Lambda Chi Alpha	70.371
Zeta Psi	70.358
Non-Fraternity	70.221
Delta Upsilon	69.673
Phi Delta Theta	67.787
Beta Chi Theta	65.496
Sorority Standing.	
Sigma Kappa	82.417
Alpha Delta Pi	81.31
Chi Omega	79.411
Phi Mu	79.218
Delta Delta Delta	77.38
Beta Chi Theta	76.903
Non-Sorority	76.353

FRATERNITIES OBSERVE ANNUAL INITIATION AND BANQUET CEREMONIES

Usual Customs Carried Out By Local Chapters During The Week At Elmwood

PHI DELTA THETA.

The annual initiation banquet of the Maine Alpha chapter of the Phi Delta Theta fraternity will be held tonight at the Elmwood Hotel.

Among the local alumni who will be present are: Judge Charles W. Atchley, '08; Charles W. Vigue, ex-'08; and John Choate, '20. Dr. John G. Towne, '05, will act as toastmaster. The initiates are: Lucius H. Stebbins, '30, Colchester, Conn.; Robert B. Eldredge, '31, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Reginald E. Fiske, '31, Manchester, N. H.; Howard L. Ferguson, '31, Whitman, Mass.; Henry O. McCracken, '31, Waterville; Gordon K. Fuller, '31, Waterville; and Irvin E. Arnold, '31, Waterville.

ALPHA TAU OMEGA.

The thirty-sixth annual initiation of the Maine Gamma Alpha chapter of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity was held at the fraternity chapter house last Saturday evening. The usual initiation banquet will be held at the Elmwood Hotel, Saturday evening in connection with the convocation of Provinces Four and Sixteen, which will be held here this week-end.

The newly initiated members are: Louis W. Jackins, '30, Houlton; Edwin W. Maddocks, '31, Fairfield; John F. Pollard, '31, Fairfield; Richard N. Williamson, '31, Portland; Bernard M. Johnstone, '31, Middleboro, Mass.; Henry F. Deetjen, '31, Portland; Dexter M. Eastmont, '31, Glen Cove, N. Y.; Joseph E. Yunkis, '31, Bridgewater, Mass.; Thomas B. Langley, '31, Cambridge, Mass.; and Virgil C. Tolman, Jr., '31, Oakland.

KAPPA DELTA RHO.

The Xi chapter of Kappa Delta Rho held its third annual initiation banquet Thursday evening at the Elmwood Hotel with nearly fifty members of the fraternity, alumni, and guests present.

G. Vinton Jones, '28, of Monticello, the president of the chapter, acted as toastmaster of the evening.

The initiates who were formally inducted into the fraternity last Wednesday evening were: Clinton F. Thurlow, '30, of Lee; John T. Nasse, '29, of Woonsocket, R. I.; Bertil A. Uppvall, '29, of Westwood, Mass.; Willard E. Alexander, '31, of Saxtons River, Vt.; S. Curtis Blakoslee, '31, of Troy, N. Y.; Richard G. Dow, '31, of Winchester, Mass.; Thomas E. James, '31, of Providence, R. I.; Francis W. Juggins, '31, of Winthrop, Mass.; Frederick R. Knox, '31, of Concord, N. H.; George W. Lord, '31, of Pittsfield; and Robert W. Stewart, '31, of Hudson, Mass.

Claude L. Stineford, of the class of 1929, spoke for the alumni of the fraternity, and Dr. W. O. Cobb, mayor of Gardiner, and Attorney Francis Juggins, of Winthrop, Mass., spoke in behalf of the fathers of the (Continued on page 4).

DEKES WIN INTERFRAT TRACK MEET BY CLOSE MARGIN OVER ZETES

Walker and Seekigs High Men—Victor Unknown Until Final Event Was Finished

The Delta Kappa Epsilon track team came through in the final round of the Annual Indoor Interfraternity Track and Field Meet with a strong spurt to overcome the lead established by the Zeta Psi aggregation, and came out on top with a margin of five points in the race for championship honors and one year's possession of the Upsilon Beta cup.

With only two events remaining last Friday, the final day of competition, the Dekes, with 46 points, led the Zetes by the margin of a single point.

The summary: Points scored by each fraternity:

Delta Kappa Epsilon, 50; Zeta Psi, 45; Phi Delta Theta, 19; Delta Upsilon, 17; Kappa Delta Rho, 12; Lambda Chi Alpha, 11; Non-Fraternity, 9; Alpha Tau Omega, 9; Lancers Club, 8.

300 yard dash: Won by Sprague (D. U.); second, Williamson, (A. T. O.); third, Goode (D. K. E.).

Interfraternity relay race: Won by Phi Delta Theta; second, Delta Kappa Epsilon; third, Kappa Delta Rho.

45 yard high hurdles: Won by Walker (Zetes); second, Seekigs, (D. K. E.); third, Williamson, (A. T. O.). Time, 6 3-5 seconds.

40 yard dash novice: Won by Martin (D. K. E.); second Nelson (Zetes); third, Dow (K. D. R.). Time 5 3-5 seconds.

1000 yard run: Won by Sansone, (P. D. T.); second, Rivkin, (Non-Frat.); third, D. Christie, (L. C. A.). Time 2.29 2-5.

Three standing jumps: Won by (Continued on page 3)

MYSTICS INITIATE NEW MEMBERS INTO SOCIETY

The annual initiation banquet of the Mystics, the sophomore honorary society, was held on Thursday, March 15, at Young's Restaurant.

Charles P. Nelson, '28, of Augusta, acted as toastmaster and introduced the principal speakers of the evening, Coach Edward C. Roundy, and Mayo A. Seekins, '29, of Pittsfield, the retiring president of the society. Andrew C. Klusick, '30, of Rockaway, N. J., who was elected president for the coming year spoke briefly of the purpose of the Mystics. The initiation ceremony preceded the banquet. The initiates of the Mystics are: Lambda Chi Alpha: H. Gordon Hatfield, Saxtons River, Vt., and Leo H. Brackett, Belgrade Lakes; Delta Upsilon: Wendall H. Thornton, Rockland, and Andrew C. Klusick, Rockaway, N. J.; Alpha Tau Omega: Robert P. Brown, Fairfield, and Gordon N. Johnson, Houlton; Zeta Psi: Dana M. Simmons, Oakland, and Gerald A. Johnson, Waterville; Phi Delta Theta: A. Frank Gluffin, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Stanton S. Wood, Waterville; Delta Kappa Epsilon: Thomas A. Record, Livermore Falls, and Herbert K. Draper, Jr., Canton, Mass.

PORTRAIT OF THE LATE PRESIDENT A. J. ROBERTS IS NEARING COMPLETION

Will Be Shipped To Boston To Be Framed By The Foster Brothers.

SENIOR CLASS GIFT

Memorial Service Planned As Part of One Hundred and Seventh Commencement in June.

The Charles Hovey Pepper portrait of the late President Arthur J. Roberts is nearly ready for shipment to Boston where Foster Brothers of that city will frame the painting. This work by the most noted artist ever to graduate from Colby is the gift of the present senior class.

It was announced tonight by the chairman of the senior gift committee, J. Louis Lovett, that the framed portrait will be here in ample time for the unveiling, which will be a part of the memorial service planned as a part of the 107th annual Commencement of the college this June. The painting, when completed and framed, will be similar in size to the one of the late Justice Leslie C. Cornish which now hangs in the college chapel.

Nominations Made For Student League

Elsie H. Lewis, '29, of East Lynn, Mass., and Barbara A. Weston, '29, of Madison, were nominated for the office of president of Student League for the coming year at a meeting of the nominating committee held Saturday afternoon at Foss Hall.

Other nominations were as follows: Vice president, Margaret P. Hale, '30, of Caribou; Barbara C. Libby, '30, of Albion; secretary, Pauline Bakeman, '30, of Peabody, Mass.; Helen A. Chase, '30, of Houlton; treasurer, Leola M. Davis, '29, of Newport; Marian L. Ginn, '29, of Caribou; president of the Health League, Lora G. Neal, '29, of West Boylston, Mass.; Alice W. Paul, '29, of Fort Fairfield; secretary-treasurer, Thalia A. Bates, '29, of Abbot; Mary E. Vose, '29, of Caribou; vice president, Helen W. Brigham, '30, of Concord, Mass.; Edvia V. Campbell, '30, of Caribou; president of the Musical Clubs, Martha E. Allen, '29, of Watertown, Mass.; Ruth Daggett, '29, of Waterville; business manager, Helen J. Paul, '30, of Fort Fairfield; Mary K. Waggatt, '30, of Rockland; editor of Echo, Bernice Collins, '29, of South Berwick; Lucille N. Whitcomb, '30, of Farmington; editor of Colbianna, Lucy E. Chapin, '29, of Greenfield, Mass.; Harriet W. Kimball, '29, of East Boothbay; second assistant business manager, Alice F. Linscott, '31, of Portland; Barbara A. Sherman, '31, of Yarmouth, Mass.; president of the Reading Room Association, Jessie Alexander, '29, of Augusta, Dorothy Morton, '29, of Melrose Highlands, Mass.

Stiegler President of International Club

A. F. Stiegler, '28, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was elected president of the newly-formed International Relations Club, at its second meeting held in the English room of Chemical Hall last night.

Other officers elected were: Secretary, Virginia Dudley, '29, of Houlton; treasurer, Thomas A. Record, '30, of Livermore Falls; reporter, Seneca B. Anderson, '30, of Memphis, Tenn.

The discussion at this meeting centered around the Kellogg Peace proposal and the League of Nations. It was pointed out that although the League could call upon the support of its members against any power that refused to arbitrate, in reality it has no centralized force to back up its decrees. The League permits and recognizes war under certain given conditions while Mr. Kellogg's plan would outlaw it altogether.

The next meeting will be held on the first Tuesday night after vacation in the History Room at seven forty-five. These meetings are open to all members of both divisions interested in European politics and the foreign policy of the United States. The club, which is being organized by Dr. William J. Wilkinson, professor of history, is sponsored by the Carnegie Endowment for World Peace.

COLBY DEBATERS LOSE TO BOSTON UNIVERSITY AND UNIV. OF MAINE

Dual Debate With U. of M. Brings 2 to 1 Decision Of The Judges.

HELD AT CHAPEL

B. U. Receives Unanimous Decision In Support of Negative Side of the Proposition.

A Colby intercollegiate debating team composed of James H. Woods, '29, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Arthur B. Levine, '28, of Waterville; and Lemuel K. Lord, '29, of Pittsfield met defeat at the hands of the Boston University debaters in the college chapel Friday night. This was the second intercollegiate debate of the season in which Colby has participated.

The negative team from B. U. won a unanimous decision over the Blue and Gray orators on the question: "Resolved, That the United States should cease to protect by armed force capital invested in foreign lands except after formal declaration of war."

The Boston University debaters were: Carlton W. Spencer, of Berwick; Jackson J. Holtz, of Brookline, Mass.; and Louis A. Novins, of Cambridge, Mass.

Mr. George E. Vose, Mr. Hugh Travers, and Mr. Bryant Hopkins, all of Waterville, acted as judges of the debate. Professor Ernest C. Marriner, librarian of the college, presided.

The University of Maine debating teams scored a double victory over the Colby orators last Monday night, both here and at Orono, as a result of a two to one decision in each case. The proposition debated was: Resolved, That the foreign policy of the United States, as administered during President Coolidge's term of office, with reference to Nicaragua, is not entitled to general approval and support.

At the home debate, which took place in the college chapel, the Colby affirmative team, composed of John D. Swartz, '29, of Brooklyn, N. Y.; Norman D. Palmer, '30, of Hineley; and Donald H. Millett, '28, of Springfield, Vt., took as the basis of their argument the point that American intervention in Nicaragua is a direct violation of our Latin-American policy, and of our promises to the South American countries.

The negative team which went to Orono consisted of the following: Lawrence A. Peakes, '28, of Poulney, Vt.; Lowell P. Leland, '29, of Augusta, and Chester F. Morrow, '29, of Mountain View, N. H.

Junior Girls Revel At Night Club Dance

Annual Class Affair Carried Out in Novel Manner at Elks Hall Friday Night.

The annual dance of the Junior women was held at the Elks Hall last Friday evening under the name of "The Whirling Dervish Night Club." Music was furnished by George Allison's Blue Serenaders orchestra.

The hall was cleverly decorated under the direction of Doris Groosbeck, '29, of Lawrence, Mass. The walls, paneled in black with red silhouettes, and the small tables placed about the hall made a very realistic cabaret.

Patrons and patronesses for the affair were: Dean Erma V. Reynolds, Miss Corinne B. Van Norman, Professor and Mrs. William J. Wilkinson and Professor and Mrs. Carl J. Weber.

Committees for the dance were as follows: General, Grace Stone, Florence Young; decoration, Flora Rideout; program, Martha Allen; refreshment, Annella Bucknam.

SHIBLES ELECTED HEAD OF "Y" AT MEETING TUESDAY

At the regular meeting of the college Young Men's Christian Association held last night in the "Y" room of Hademan Hall the officers for the coming year were elected.

The men who will lead the "Y" for the year 1928-29 are as follows: President, Mark R. Shibles, '20, of Belfast; vice president, Lemuel K. Lord, '20, of Pittsfield; secretary, Mark S. Kingsley, '31, of Houlton; treasurer, Harold E. Phippen, '30, of Islesford; and assistant treasurer, Philip S. Snow, '31, of Portland.

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News Editor for the Week
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OIL.

With oil scandal looming large on the political horizon one knows hardly which banner to adopt to avoid the obnoxious mud-slinging that is designed to make the presidential race interesting. The Democrats who felt quite secure in their goody-goody dugout until a few days ago are now squirming in a black petrolic ooze.

When thinks were looking pretty bad for the Grand Oil Party it was pleading in lugubrious tones, "Take thy beak from out my heart; take thy form from off my door," in its vesper supplications to the oil god. Now Congressman Johnson has dislodged the "beak" and is attempting to thrust it into the vitals of the Democratic party through Al Smith.

And the pertinacious investigating committee of which Senator Walsh of Montana is chairman does not even respect the pristine purity of the deceased President Harding. The alert senator may, however, be planning the November execution of his own party.

Oil, no doubt, seeks its own level. With so much of it stored up behind the Republican party the Democrats who have been dwelling in the pleasant valley below, inhabited only by Bacchus and visited with frequent droughts, stands in a fair way to find its vineyards growing around a most impressive array of oil derricks.

FORCED ABSTINENCE.

Make-up examinations in astronomy which two Williams seniors must take and pass before they can graduate will have to travel half way around the world before they can be graded. It is suggested that these students would be at a distinct disadvantage if they had contemplated indulging in that mythical campus hallucination "course-cribbing."

SINK OR SWIM.

It was only the other day when a school of young frogs were discovered frolicking in the stagnant waters that we solved the raison d'être of our saucer-like campus walks.

MOST LAUDABLE!

The business administration department has taken the initiative in securing for its students a group of experienced business men who will address the classes on various lines of after-graduation occupation. Lectures of this nature provide upperclassmen with an excellent opportunity to come in contact with the leaders in the various fields of business. The department is to be lauded for this step toward acquainting potential business men with the practical work of industrial and mercantile occupations.

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Ye Gladiator Column



Dear Gladiator:

Recently there appeared in this column a letter which advised the Student Council to abolish the honorary societies.

Now no one claims that the honorary societies are any asset to Colby College or that they are "honorary" in any way, manner, form, or shape. But as they neither bite nor scratch, why abolish them? They harm none but the poor "sucker" that pays the initiation fee—and really, Mr. Gladiator, there must be some form of graft left open for the college politicians, especially since the Student Council has threatened to impeach any class officer that "cashes in" on his job.

Somewhere we are said to be allowed the privilege of "life, liberty, and pursuit of happiness." And if anyone considers himself as pursuing happiness by parading in a U. B. uniform, far be it from me to favor governmental intervention! That can hardly be classed as criminal insanity!

Yours,

Sir Tin Lee.

Dear Gladiator:

The publishing in the ECHO of the names of fellows receiving bids to join certain honorary societies provoke me to ask a pertinent question. Why are only fraternity men extended bids?

I make bold to request these societies to declare their reasons for deliberately ignoring the existence of non-frats in this college.

Last year about 258 men belonged to the fraternities. It is safe to assume for immediate purposes that the number is the same today. The men's department this year boasts a registration of 424, according to the annual bulletin. The number of non-frat men is, therefore, approximately 166. Yet this group is to all appearances purposely ignored. Can it be possible that among these 166 men there are none who are worthy of the "high" honor of membership among the "immortals?"

Such cliques are very neatly sowing for themselves the seed of destruction. They are courting the whirlwind which sweeps into oblivion everything in its path. Already the advance gusts are apparent in the Editor's staunch yet lonely attack against their parasitic existence.

For their own welfare they should follow the example of the student council and Y. M. C. A. in recognizing the non-frat group with the privilege of membership. Non-frats are as much sons of Mother Colby as the men of the "houses."

Yours,

Hal E. Butt.

Literary Column

The indolent walker, threading his careless way along the city's street is often delighted by piquant details that escape the eye of the usual bustling, purposeful pedestrian. Dim doorways, queer legends on signs, faint exotic odors and crazy outlines against the sky reward him for his scrutiny. In the same way, while poking around the dusty corners of a bookstore, he may discover treasure in some slender, half-hidden volume that has escaped general notice. Two such books are "The Road-Mender," by Michael Fairless and "Amarillis," by Christian Turner Curtis. The first is a series of essays, vitally religious and singing of the joy of labor and the bounty of nature. The second contains a beautiful description as one reads in many a day. The story deals with an artist colony near Monterey—a tense, swift story of a girl who said to herself, "It was perhaps my fate to see life in tints and pastels, broken colors and strained lights. It was perhaps my destiny to embrace it delicately, as we pick Mariposa lilies, fearing that too great ardor will wither their sensitive bloom."

In 1714 the Bridge of San Luis Rey broke and five travellers were thrown into the chasm. A Franciscan monk, Brother Juniper, witnessed the accident and was led to wonder why God picked those particular lives for destruction. He resolved to inquire into every detail of their lives in an effort to determine whether we live and die in this universe by accident or by plan. The lives of the five victims are made into a wise, and story by Thornton Wilder. Here are several good things from the book, which is in the college library:

"There was something in Lima that was wrapped up in yards of violet satin from which protruded a great dropsical head and two fat poorly

hands; and that was its archbishop."
"The public for which masterpieces are intended is not on this earth."
"Style is but the faintly contemptible vessel in which the bitter liquid is recommended to the world."

DE AMICITIA.

A Sonnet.

You are one of the solid, hearty gifts
Of life—like books, or keen autumnal air,
Or glowing, beaded, frosted wine that lifts

The spirit of a man from lax despair.
There is a comfort in you, like the feel

Of well-worn clothes or padded easy-chairs.
You laugh, yet lies a purpose firm as steel

Beneath the motley every wise man wears.
You audience our feats and laughingly,

The mad gyrations of our wit you coach.
Denouncing all our sins with subtle homily,

Your virtue bears a not-too-sharp reproach.
Stout soul! On any road 't would be our pride

To walk beside you, matching stride for stride.
N. P.

Life handed me a crystal cup,
A goblet on a gleaming stem.
My greedy fingers snapped the shaft,
I lost the wine—and how Life laughed!

A. G.

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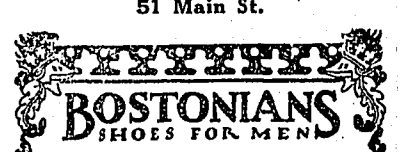
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BRIEF SUMMARY OF INTERFRAT LEAGUE

Statistics Given Include Individual Scores And Standing

The final result of the Interfraternity League games, completed Monday night, shows that the Delta Upsilon outfit, by virtue of eight wins and no losses, is in undisputed possession of Championship honors.

The Alpha Tau Omega basketball shooters are in second place with only one loss in eight games played. The other seven games resulted in decisive wins.

The Non-Fraternity five finished a good season with five wins and three losses to rest securely in third place in the league.

The Delta Upsilon championship team had a brilliant season on the court and will be able to point to the beautiful trophy which the Student Council will present soon after the Easter vacation as representative of a hard earned honor. The play has been very fast this year with every team well supported in the race for championship honors. The A. T. O. quintet gave the league champions the greatest battle of the year when the two teams met before a large audience of enthusiastic students. The D. U.'s emerged from that encounter the victors by a two point margin.

The Non-Fraternity team presented an unusually strong aggregation for that group and thrilled a good sized crowd last week by forcing the D. U. outfit all the way to win.

The only defeat suffered by the A. T. O.'s was the one handed out by the league champions. A suitable trophy will be presented to the Taus in recognition of the fine record which they made to grab second place honors.

Charles Callaghan, the red-headed leader of the A. T. O. squad who played his last interfraternity game Monday night, ended the season on top of the list of individual scorers with 137 points to his credit. He scored on the average of a fraction over 17 points a game to attain this brilliant record. In the game with the Non-Frats last week he came within two markers of equalling the

record for points scored in a single game now held by Wisnoski of the Non-Frat crew who rang up a total of 27 points in an encounter with the Lambda Chi outfit.

Wisnoski, with 97 points to his credit, is in second place on the scoring list and 17 units ahead of Caulfield, Lancers Club leader, who is the third man on the list.

Wisnoski tossed in 19 counters from the free throw line to lead the league players in fouls scored. Joe Cooke, first class Deke hoopster, dropped in 12 to take second place while Callaghan scored 11 via that route to become third place winner in the foul shooting department.

Final League Standing.

	W.	L.	%
Delta Upsilon	8	0	1000
Alpha Tau Omega	7	1	.875
Non-Frat	5	3	.625
Lancers Club	4	4	.500
Phi Delta Theta	4	4	.500
Zeta Psi	4	4	.500
Kappa Delta Rho	2	6	.250
Lambda Chi Alpha	1	7	.125
Delta Kappa Epsilon	1	7	.125

INDIVIDUAL SCORING.

	G.	F.	Pts.
Callaghan, (A. T. O.)	63	11	137
Wisnoski, (Non-Frat)	39	19	97
Caulfield, (Lancers)	36	8	80
Cooke, (D. K. E.)	28	12	68
Simmons, (Z. P.)	28	9	65
Grady, (P. D. T.)	26	8	60
Thornton, (D. U.)	28	3	59
Hansen, (P. D. T.)	26	4	56
Trainor, (A. T. O.)	24	5	53
Davis, (A. T. O.)	24	4	52
Clough, (D. U.)	22	8	52

Dekes Win Interfrat Track Meet

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Walker, (Zetes); second, Hayde, (D. K. E.); third, Benson, (K. D. R.).

35 pound weight: Won by Bagnall, (D. U.); second, Arber, (Zetes); third, W. Dexter, (D. K. E.). Distance, 50 feet 7 inches.

One mile walk: Won by L. Lord, (K. D. R.); second, Mulliken, (Non-Frat); third L. Fourcade, (D. K. E.). Time, 8:38 3-5.

16 pound shot: Won by Seekins, (D. K. E.), 37 feet, 2 inches; second, W. Dexter, (D. K. E.), 36 feet, 10 inches; third, Turner, (Zetes), 35 feet, 11 1/4 inches.

Running high jump: Won by Seekins, (D. K. E.), 5 feet, 10 inches; second, Newhall, (L. C. A.), 5 feet, 8 inches; third, Walker, (Zetes), 5 feet 6 inches.

BASEBALL MEN BEGIN SEASON'S TRAINING

Many Letter Men Report to Start Conditioning Exercises.

Baseball is again taking the center of the sport stage as the big league clubs get ready for migration northward, and the warm sun and breezes of early spring begin to clear the northern ball parks of snow and ice. And with the approach of the college baseball season the familiar crack of the horseshoe against the glove, mitt and bat becomes louder inside the walls of the Maine college gymnasiums.

While the three colleges with which Colby will compete for the college Championship of Maine have been able to have their candidates for various positions working out regularly for some time in spacious indoor fields, Coach Edward C. Roundy has made valuable use of the limited opportunities of the Colby gymnasium. Battery candidates have been working hard every day during the past few weeks. The chest weights and board track have been used to advantage in getting candidates for other positions in condition. Seaverns Field will undoubtedly be in condition for outdoor practice immediately after the Easter vacation.

The Blue and Gray nine suffered somewhat from graduation last year but a good bunch of regulars from which the Colby mentor will be able to build a strong team will report this year.

Candidates for the first base berth include Martin J. Tierney, '29, of Hudson, Mass., Edward P. Niziolek, '29, of Ware, Mass., and Clarence H. Arber, '30, of Dorchester, Mass. All three of these men have seen service in that position. Tierney wound up the season on the initial sack last year and may be used there this year although he is equally at home at any diamond job. Niziolek favors the position but was shifted to the outfield last year. Arber saw service with the Colby squad last year and may develop into a first class performer before the first encounter.

Leo W. MacDonald, '28, of South Brewer and Charles M. Hannifen, '28,

of Lynn, Mass., form a nucleus of second base performers. MacDonald has held the job down most of the time during the past two years while Hannifen has not been eligible to strut his stuff since he occupied the berth his Freshman year. He is in the good graces of the faculty now and may again grace the diamond in a Colby uniform.

It looks now as if John F. O'Brien, '28, of Lynn, Mass., who has cavorted in the short-stop position more or less during the past three seasons may be unable to take his place with the regulars due to an intelligibility snag. He has ample time to get out of this dilemma, however, and will undoubtedly be out giving Robert G. LaVigne, '29, of Worcester, Mass., a battle for the position.

Paul L. Davis, '30, of Belfast is the only member of last year's squad who will be out for the third base position. This important berth, left vacant by the graduation of "Ted" Smart, captain of the Colby nine last year, will be hard to fill. Captain Meade J. Baldwin, '28, of Wilder, Vt., although used last year in the outfield, has had plenty of experience on the hot corner and may fit into the Roundy machine well.

The loss of Joseph Washington, colored flash of last years' outfit, and the possible change of Niziolek to first base and Baldwin to third leaves veteran material for the outfield rather scarce. Charles E. Callaghan, '28, of South Brewer, can be relied upon to hold down one of the garden berths. He has been a regular with the Colby team for three years and should be due for a great season this year. Andrew C. Klusick, '30, of Rockaway, N. J., who saw some service last year should be a strong candidate for the outfield. Durwood S. Heal, '28, of East Millinocket, veteran pitcher, is a hard hitter and has worked well in the outfield at times. He will probably see service in a garden berth this year.

Very little is known of the freshman candidates who will report, but some of them have toted along good prep school reputations. Reputations form poor basis for judgment of their ability in college play, however. There will probably be the usual amount of talent among the first-year candidates and their play will be watched with interest when they get a chance to perform.

A. T. O'S TAKE SECOND PLACE FROM NON-FRATS

Charlie Callaghan Nearly Equals Scoring Record

A fast-passing, sure-shooting team of Alpha Tau Omega hoopsters, led by Charlie Callaghan, eagle-eyed ball-tosser, clinched second place in the Interfraternity Basketball league by subduing the Non-Fraternity aggregation 53 to 29, in a fast game played last Thursday afternoon.

The Callaghan, Trimm, Tierney combination worked to perfection in the offence with a lightning fast passing attack, while Langley and Johnstone did fine work in stopping Non-Frat invasion in their territory. Callaghan's 25 points came within two counters of equalling Wisnoski's record of points scored in one game.

Dietch, with 10 points, was high-point man for the losers. Wisnoski and Sprague both did good work.

The summary:

A. T. O.	G.	F.	Pts.
Callaghan, lf	11	3	25
Trimm, rf	0	2	2
Davis, c	2	0	4
Tierney, c	0	2	14
Trainor	4	0	8
Johnstone, rg	0	0	0
Deetjen	0	0	1
Langley, lg	0	1	1
Totals	23	7	53

Non-Frat.	G.	F.	Pts.
Sprague, lg	0	2	2
Glazier, rg	1	1	3
Dietch, c	5	0	10
Slosok, rf	3	0	6
Wisnoski, lf	4	0	8
Totals	13	3	29

Phi Delt Prove Easy For Tau Hoopmen

Callaghan Again Stars For Winners—Contest Never In Doubt.

Charlie Callaghan, brilliant athlete and leader of the fast A. T. O. basketball outfit, wound up his fourth and last year of play in the Interfraternity basketball league by scoring 21 points and leading his teammates to a decisive 38 to 10 win over the Phi Delta Theta quintet Monday night.

A particular feature of the game was that in the first and third quarters the Phi Delta were unable to score a single point. It is probably the first time since the league was organized that a Phi Delt team has failed to score in a period of play. "Shorty" Davis and "Doc" Tierney worked well with Callaghan and did considerable scoring to boost the Tau's total.

Ferguson and Fiedler worked well on the scoring end for the losers while Arnold helped out with a couple of double counters in the last quarter.

The summary:

A. T. O.	G.	F.	Pts.
Callaghan, rf	9	3	21
Davis, lf	4	0	8
Tierney, c	3	0	6
Langley, lb	0	0	0
Johnstone, rb	1	1	3
Deetjen	0	0	0
Totals	17	4	38

Phi Delt.	G.	F.	Pts.
Fiedler, rb	2	1	5
Richardson, lb	0	0	0
Arnold	2	0	4
Ferguson, lb	2	1	5
Giles, c	0	0	0
Grady, rf	1	0	2
Hansen, lf	0	0	0
Totals	7	2	16

Referee, Carson, (D. U.). Scorers, Giuffra (P. D. T.), Carlson (A. T. O.). Timer, Fiske (P. D. T.).

Non-Frats Grab Third Position In Fast Game

Winners Play Superior Ball To Win From Lancer Outfit.

The Non-Frat established their right to third place in the final standing of the league when they took a deciding game from the Lancers club by a 34 to 21 score in a game played Saturday afternoon.

Wisnoski wound up a brilliant season of play as premier basket tosser for the Non-Frats by ringing up a total of 18 points for high honors in individual scoring for the game. Slosok played his usual flashy game and was a continual source of worry to the Lancers defense.

McKeen, with nine counters to his credit, was high man for the losers. Caulfield, although not exhibiting the brand of play which he showed in previous encounters, worked well and added seven points to his team's total.

The summary:

Non-Frats.	G.	F.	Pts.
Wisnoski, lf	6	6	18
Slosok, rf	3	1	7
Dietch, c	0	0	0
Sprague, lg	2	1	5
Howard	0	0	0
Glazier, rg	2	0	4
Totals	13	8	34

Lancers Club.	G.	F.	Pts.
Calhoun, lg	0	2	2
Ryder	0	1	1
Katkovsky, rg	0	0	0
Caulfield, c	3	1	7
McKeen, lf	4	1	9
Schick, rf	1	0	2
Totals	8	5	21

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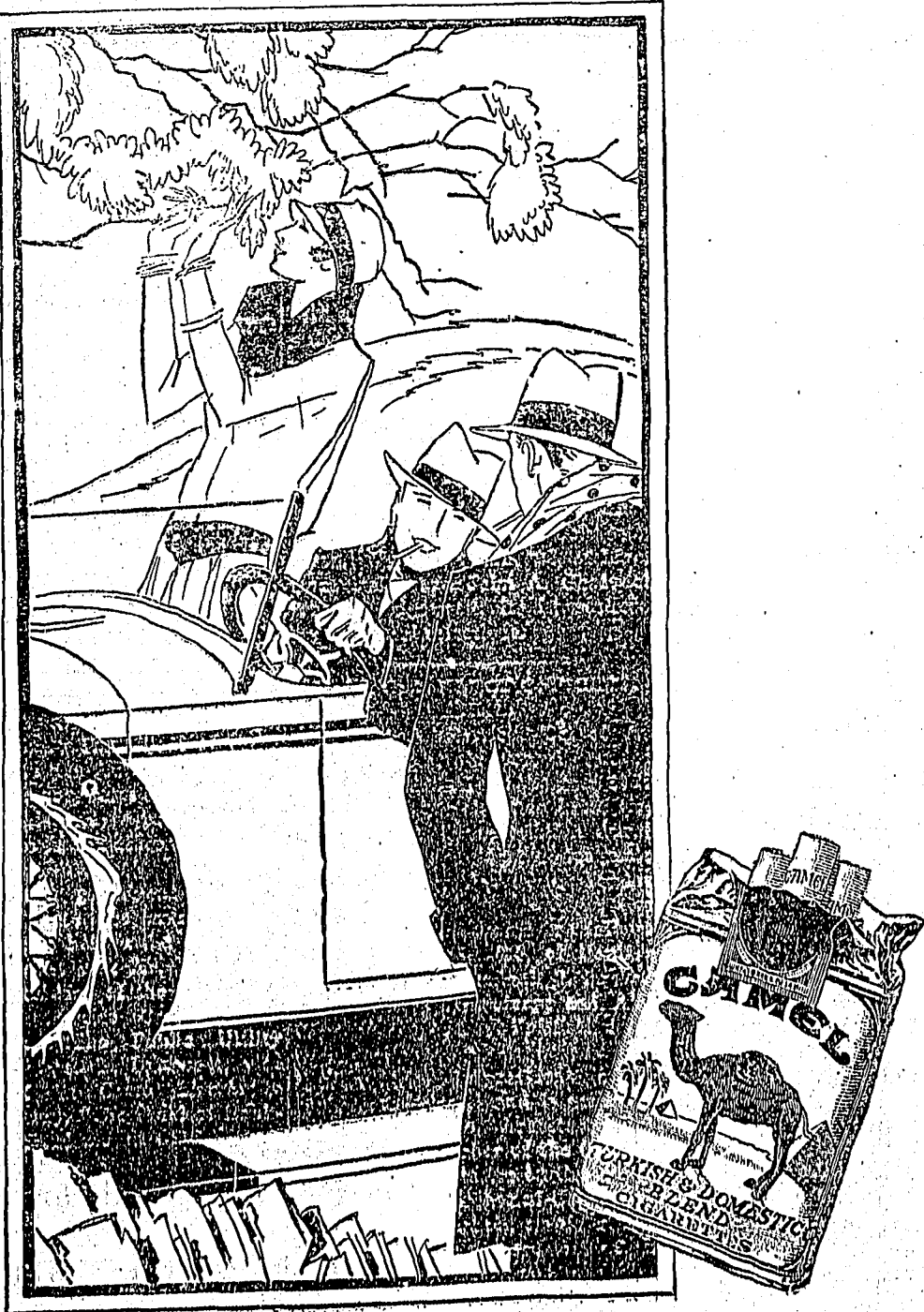
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Fraternities Observe Annual Initiations

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members. S. Curtis Blakeslee, representing the neophytes, responded to a welcoming speech by Lemuel K. Lord, '29, of Pittsfield. Oscar M. Chute, of Beverly, Mass., spoke for the juniors, and Robert L. Harlow, of Dover-Foxcroft, for the sophomores. Dr. Thomas B. Ashcraft, honorary member of the fraternity, represented the faculty in the main address of the evening. Several piano selections by Curtis Blakeslee added to the entertainment.

The committee in charge of the banquet was composed of: Rupert M. Irvine, '29, of Caribou; Oscar M. Chute, '29, of Beverly, Mass.; and David F. Kronquist, '29, of Rumford, R. I.

CHI OMEGA.

The annual initiation banquet of the Beta chapter of the Chi Omega sorority of Colby college was held at the Elmwood Hotel, Saturday evening. Initiation of Miss Alona Stephanie Bean of Somerville, Mass., was held at the chapter hall on Main street, Saturday afternoon.

Miss Mira L. Dolley, '19, and a

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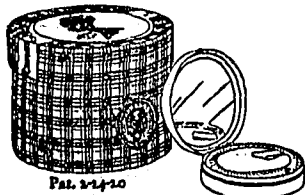
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The initiates: Alona Stephanie Bean, Somerville, Mass.; Dorothy Webster Blanchard, Waterville; Florence Eleanor Burrill, Winslow; Mary Cadwallader, Waterville; Thelma Blanche Chase, Milo; Florence Josephine Connors, Bar Harbor; Barbara Hope Gurney, Woodfords; Jesse Evelyn Haycock, Waterville; Eleanor Hilton, Waterville; Jean Elizabeth Littlefield, North Berwick; Marion Monks, Fall River, Mass.; Alice Louise Murray, Winslow; Doris Marie Spencer, New Haven, Conn.; Arlene Doris Woodman, Milltown.

The following alumnae were present: Mrs. Stephen Bean, Somerville, Mass.; Mrs. Sweetzer, '19, Nellie Pottle, Doris Tozier, Mrs. Douglas of Dover-Foxcroft; Miriam Rice, Mary Warren, Mrs. Carl McKechnie of Houlton; Edna Conant, Flora Harri-man, Mariam Merriman, Ethel Alley, Winona Knowlton, Doris Hardy, Dorothy Hannaford, Alice Wood. Misses Caroline Collins, Martha Wasgatt and Alice Bagley were delegates from the Xi Beta chapter of the University of Maine.

The favors at the banquet were alligator pocketbooks with fraternity seals. The junior and freshman delegation served a delightful breakfast of fruit, toast, eggs and coffee at the fraternity rooms Sunday morning.

DELTA SIGMA CHI.

The fifth initiation of Delta Sigma Chi, honorary educational society for women, was held in the Foss Hall assembly room, Tuesday evening, March 20, at eight o'clock.

The initiates were as follows: Jessie G. Alexander, '29, of Augusta; Harriet W. Kimball, '29, of East Boothbay; Irma G. Sawyer, '28, of Canton; Susie W. Stevens, '28, of Millbridge; Ruth A. Norton, '29, of Hallowell; Annella G. Bucknam, '29, of Hallowell; Annie H. Goodwin, '29, of Waterville; Irene G. Hersey, '29, of Waterville; Pauline E. Waugh, '29, of Sangerville; Lillian B. Collins, '29, of South Berwick; and Sylvia D. Crane, '29, of East Washington, N. H.

Among others present were Dean Erma V. Reynolds, honorary member of Delta Sigma Chi, and Professor Edward J. Colgan, faculty sponsor of the society.

After the initiation ceremonies a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments of ice cream and fancy cookies were served.

STUDENT COUNCIL REPORT.

Decision to pass a set of rigid rules applicable to fraternity rushing of freshmen was made by the Student Council at its weekly meeting last Monday night.

A committee consisting of James T. McCroary, '28, of North Adams, Mass.; G. Vinton Jones, '28, of Monticello and Augustus M. Hodgkins, '28, of Farmington Falls was appointed to investigate this matter and to frame a set of rushing rules for next year. It was unanimously agreed that some heavy penalty must be enforced against any fraternity that does not abide by the rushing agreement. This, it was decided, will be absolutely necessary to insure fair play since all previous alliances and agreements have come to naught because of lack of a sufficiently severe penalty.

The report for the basketball season was read and accepted. Hodgkins reported a total of fifteen dollars and fifty cents was taken in at the last two interfraternity games.

A second committee to provide a trophy for the winner of the Interfraternity Basketball Championship consisting of Augustus M. Hodgkins, Edwin Harlow, '28, of Gardiner, and Harold E. Carson, '28, of Hodgdon, was also appointed.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas the Supreme Consul, in His infinite wisdom, has chosen to call from this life our beloved brother, Lewis A. Turner, be it

Resolved, that we, the members of Xi chapter of Kappa Delta Rho, cherish the memory of our deceased brother, and that we extend to the bereaved family our heart-felt sympathy and condolence; and be it further

Resolved, that these resolutions be spread upon the records of our Chapter, and a copy be published in the Colby ECHO.

G. Vinton Jones,
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SENIOR CLASS MEETING.

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